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Transmitted herewith under 37 CFR § 1.53 for filing is the patent application of:

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John Ernest Ziegler

Enwitled: INTELLIGENT NETWORK TOPOLOGY AND CONFIGURATION VERIFICATION USING A

METHOD OF LOOP DETECTION

·[] This is a request for filing a [] continuation [] divisional [] continuation in part application under §1.53(b) of prior Application No._____, filed _____ entitled:

Enclosed are:

[* 24 pages of written description, claims and Abstract, inclusive

[X] 2 sheets of [] informal [X] formal drawings of Figs. 1-2 (one set)

[X] Oath or Declaration

[X] Newly executed (original or copy)

- [] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- [] Unsigned (To be filed later)
- Cover sheet and Assignment of the invention to: 3Com Corporation [X]
- Certified copy of a __ ____ application (if foreign priority is [] claimed) with letter claiming priority under Rule 55.
- Information Disclosure Statement with __ citations .[].
- [] Preliminary amendment is enclosed.
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- [] Small entity status is entitled to be, and hereby is, asserted for this application.

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- [X] The filing fee has been calculated above; a check in the amount of \$836.00 is enclosed.
- [] The filing fee will be submitted at a later date.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR §1.17 is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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[] The above-identified provisional application(s) is/are assigned

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